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By:  Morales of Harris H.B. No. 1055

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the employment of health care professionals at public schools.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1.  Subchapter Z, Chapter 33, Education Code, is amended by adding Section 33.910 to read as follows:

Sec. 33.910.  EMPLOYMENT OF HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS. A school district or open-enrollment charter school shall assign at least one registered nurse or other health care professional licensed under Title 3, Occupations Code, to be present at each campus of the district or school for not less than half of each school day.

SECTION 2.  This Act applies beginning with the 2021-2022 school year.

SECTION 3.  This Act takes effect September 1, 2021.